

PSYCHOLOGY EXAMINING BOARD
REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 14, 2000

MEMBERS PRESENT: Barbara Van Horne, Ph.D.; Mariellen Fischer, Ph.D.; Louis Stamps, Ph.D.; James Fico, Ph.D.; B. Ann Nevaiser

LEGAL COUNSEL: Wayne Austin (arrived 9:30 a.m.)

STAFF PRESENT: Deanna Zychowski, Kimberly Nania (arrived 10:25), Karen Rude-Evans

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Barbara Van Horne called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: Louis Stamps moved, seconded by James Fico, to approve the agenda as written. Motion carried unanimously.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Amendments: -Page 1, in the three motions change "James Fico" to "Louis Stamps".
-Page 3, under "Secretary Cummings", second sentence, change to read, "...a committee for discussions about psychometric testing for masters level licensees."
-Page 5, under "Correspondence from Susan Barbour", change motion to read, "...to have Wayne Austin write to Ms. Barbour recommending she talk to James Fico for names of EAP and I/O supervisors."

MOTION: Mariellen Fischer moved, seconded by Louis Stamps, to approve the minutes of March 13, 2000 as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

SECRETARY CUMMINGS

Secretary Cummings was not available. Deputy Secretary Bill Conway asked the Board if they had any concerns. Barbara Van Horne asked about the status of the new public Board member.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSED STIPULATIONS

There were no stipulations to present.

REPORTS ON PENDING COURT CASES, DISCIPLINARY CASES AND
ADMINISTRATIVE RULES INCLUDING DISCIPLINE REPORT

Jack Temby presented a Discipline Report to the Board. He also discussed the complaint handling process.

DISCUSSION WITH WPA

Concerns were raised about a proposal that would allow DPI licensed school psychologists to engage in private practice outside of schools without meeting the requirements for licensure of the Psychology Examining Board. In addition, it was noted that there are fewer required hours of supervised experience for school psychologists than for other mental health professionals. The Board expressed concern that this may put a very vulnerable population at risk. The Board stated that CE credit can be given to the presenter of a CE program. A public hearing on SB 308 was held in March and it passed through the hearing committee, but was not dealt with by the legislature prior to the end of the legislative session. It will have to be reintroduced at the next session.

MOTION: Louis Stamps moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to authorize Barbara Van Horne to contact Scott Richie of the WPA regarding pending legislation related to the Psychology Examining Board. Motion carried unanimously.

ADMINISTRATIVE WARNING PROCEDURES

This item was informational and the Board appreciated the summary.

COMPUTERIZED EPPP ISSUES

Casey Brown informed the Board that computerized testing is scheduled to begin April 1, 2001. The Department would be willing to host a workshop to develop exam questions that would be submitted to PES.

FINAL ADOPTION OF RULES RELATING TO REEXAMINATIONS

MOTION: Ann Nevaizer moved, seconded by Louis Stamps, to approve and adopt the rules relating to reexaminations. Motion carried unanimously.

PROPOSED CONTINUING EDUCATION RULE

MOTION: Ann Nevaizer moved, seconded by Louis Stamps, to approve the draft scope statement on the proposed continuing education rule. Motion carried unanimously.

CE AUDIT

The audit is moving ahead. Barbara Van Horne has been working with DOE, and letters are going out to licensees who are non-compliant.

DISCUSSION OF DISCIPLINARY CASE REGARDING ANDREW KANE

MOTION: Ann Nevaizer moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to not allow costs to Andrew Kane in the disciplinary case against Dr. Kane. Motion carried unanimously.

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Ann Nevaizer moved, seconded by James Fico, to recess to closed session pursuant to Chapter 19.85 (1)(a), (b), (f) and (g), Wis. Stats., for the purpose of conducting oral interviews, reviewing requests for changes in nature of intended practice, reviewing applications, reviewing a request for reconsideration of an Order Fixing Costs, deliberation of a proposed decision and consulting with legal counsel. Role call vote: Barbara Van Horne – yes, Mariellen Fischer – yes, Louis Stamps – yes, James Fico – yes, Ann Nevaizer – yes. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session recessed at 10:27 a.m.

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

MOTION: Ann Nevaizer moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to reconvene in open session. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session reconvened at 1:55 p.m.

VOTING ON ITEMS CONSIDERED/DELIBERATED ON IN CLOSED SESSION

ORAL INTERVIEWS

MOTION: Louis Stamps moved, seconded by James Fico, to grant licenses to **Rebecca Behrend, James Peterson, Michelle Anderson, Todd Eiden and Demara Bennett**. Motion carried unanimously.

APPLICATION REVIEWS

JULIE BOBHOLZ, PHD, LAWRENCE EGEL, PHD AND DIANE SCHOWALTER, PHD

MOTION: Ann Nevaizer moved, seconded by Louis Stamps, to admit to the ethics examination and personal appearance Julie Bobholz, Lawrence Egel and Diane Schowalter. Motion carried unanimously.

JOHN C SKROVAN, PHD

MOTION: Mariellen Fischer moved, seconded by James Fico, to request additional information from John Skrovan. Documentation is needed for group and marital therapy. Also needed is documentation showing the date all requirements were completed for Mr. Skrovan's doctoral degree and the date his post-doctoral supervision began. Mr. Skrovan must also provide information on his activities/work history since March 20, 1998. Motion carried unanimously.

LAURA CAMPBELL, PHD

MOTION: Ann Nevaizer moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to request additional information from Laura Campbell. Documentation is needed for a minimum 3000 hours of supervision and areas of practice. Motion carried unanimously.

KRISTINE M DUNLAP, PHD

MOTION: James Fico moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to request additional information from Kristine Dunlap. The transcript shows the doctoral dissertation was completed on August 5, 1998, but the application shows post-doctoral supervised hours began to accrue June 9, 1998. Documentation is needed showing the date all requirements were met for the doctoral degree, or showing a minimum 3000 supervised hours from August 5, 1998. Motion carried unanimously.

SCOTT J WOODLEY, PHD

MOTION: Mariellen Fischer moved, seconded by Ann Nevaizer, to approve Scott Woodley for the exam. Mr. Woodley needs to provide documentation of more supervised hours with adolescents. No documentation was provided for supervision of college-age individuals in a college setting. Both areas must either be documented or deleted from his intended nature of practice. Motion carried unanimously.

JO M WEIS, PHD

MOTION: Louis Stamps moved, seconded by Ann Nevaizer, to approve the application of Jo Weis. Ms. Weis must provide documentation of academic teaching and supervised hours with adolescents. Motion carried unanimously.

LAUREN J NELSON, PHD

MOTION: Ann Nevaizer moved, seconded by James Fico, to send an Intent to Deny to Ms. Nelson as she has failed to meet the supervision requirements. Motion carried unanimously.

EXPANDING NATURE OF INTENDED PRACTICE

SUSAN SACHSENMAIER, PHD

MOTION: Mariellen Fischer moved, seconded by Ann Nevaizer, to request a signed letter, on letterhead stationery, from Ms. Sachsenmaier's supervisor verifying sufficient hours in supervision. E-mails cannot be accepted. This letter must be received before the Board will consider Ms. Sachsenmaier's request to expand her nature of intended practice. Motion carried unanimously.

CORRESPONDENCE FROM THOMAS HEYER, PSY D

MOTION: Ann Nevaizer moved, seconded by Louis Stamps, to reconfirm the earlier decision of the Board regarding Thomas Heyer, Psy.D. The Board is awaiting confirmation of compliance from Minnesota. Motion carried unanimously.

STEPHEN G FLECK, PHD

MOTION: Louis Stamps moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to table the request from Stephen Fleck, Ph.D., until documentation is received that treatment and assessment have been completed. The Board will send a letter to Mr. Fleck's supervisor asking how she handled the financial implications of the arrangement, as she was hired by Mr. Fleck to be his supervisor. Motion carried unanimously.

RECONSIDERATION OF COSTS IN THE MATTER CONCERNING ANTHONY MULLOZZI, PHD

MOTION: James Fico moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to deny the request from Anthony Mulozzi, Ph.D., for an extension of time to contest the costs. The Order for Costs stands. Motion carried unanimously.

PROPOSED DECISION IN THE MATTER CONCERNING KIM S FINCK, PHD

MOTION: Louis Stamps moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to accept the findings of fact, conclusions of law and the order in the matter of the disciplinary proceedings against Kim S. Finck, Ph.D. Motion carried unanimously.

BOARD MEMBER ADDRESSES

Board members updated their addresses for the department.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Ann Nevaizer moved, seconded by Mariellen Fischer, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 3:00 p.m.

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